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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner : Mark Navarro
Group Art Unit : 1645
Applicants : Y. Shoenfeld and P. Fishman
Application No. : 09/405,050 Conf. No. : 9070
Filed : September 27, 1999
For : IMMUNOTHERAPEUTIC METHOD OF TREATING
CANCEROUS DISEASES BY ADMINISTRATION OF
GAMMA GLOBULINS

New York, New York
July 29, 2003

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to file a response to the January 29, 2003 Office Action. With the extension, this Response must be filed on or before July 29, 2003. A check in the amount of \$465.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

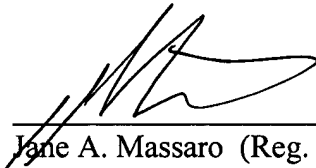
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The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due,
or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of
this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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